


















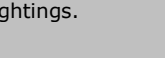


MISSION HOLIDAY LIST FOR 2008

STATUS	DATE	WEEKDAY	HOLIDAY	COUNTRY
✓	January 1	Tuesday	New Year's Day	
✓	January 20	Sunday	Armed Forces Day	
✓	January 21	Monday	M.L.King's Birthday	
✓	February 18	Monday	President's Day	
✓	March 20	Thursday	Mawloud	
✓	March 24	Monday	Easter Monday	
✓	March 26	Wednesday	Prophet's Baptism	
✓	March 26	Wednesday	Day of Democracy	
✓	May 1	Thursday	Int'l Labor Day	
✓	May 25	Sunday	Day of Africa	
✓	May 26	Monday	Memorial Day	
✓	July 4	Friday	Independence Day	
✓	September 1	Monday	Labor Day	
✓	September 22	Monday	National Day	
✓	October *	*TBA	Ramadan	
✓	October 13	Monday	Columbus Day	
✓	November 11	Tuesday	Veterans Day	
✓	November 27	Thursday	Thanksgiving Day	
✓	December *	*TBA	Tabaski	
✓	December 25	Thursday	Christmas	

*TBA: To Be Announced. Exact dates of these holidays are to be determined based on lunar sightings.

Please also note that if the Government of Mali announces other special holidays, employees are reminded that they must check to determine if the Mission is observing the holiday.